

## California Regional Water Quality Control Board Central Valley Region

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## 25 MARCH 2010 ANNUAL MONITORING REPORT REVIEW - SOUTH SAN JOAQUIN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Thank you for submittal of the South San Joaquin Irrigation District (District) Annual Monitoring Report (AMR), which was received on 27 March 2010. The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) staff has completed a review (enclosed with this letter) of the AMR for compliance with Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) Order No. R5-2003-0827 (Order). Staff has noted that for the majority of components, the District achieved MRP Order requirements, use of appropriate quality control data, collecting irrigation and storm season samples, presenting data in tabular form, and site photographs. The incomplete items that are noted below must be addressed in the next AMR. Each is summarized below while the attached memorandum provides more detail.

- The District applied aminopyralid (Milestone) in July and August (see Table 2), but the
  results are not found in the AMR. In the future, if any pesticide results are not included in
  the AMR, the District must provide justification for the omission. See Item 9.
- The District must take steps to ensure field data sheets are maintained and all field results are reported. See Item 18.

Please review the attached memorandum. The District will need to submit its next AMR by 1 March 2011, and ensure that it complies with the requirements.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the review, or need any further information, please contact Chris Jimmerson at (916) 464-4859, or <u>cjimmerson@waterboards.ca.gov</u>.

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Enclosure: 2009 Annual Monitoring Report Review, AMR Check List

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